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TOWN OFFICERS.

✓ Moderator..... W. E. HIGBEE ✓
✓ Town Clerk..... BENJ. WILLIAMS, JR. ✓
✓ Treasurer..... L. H. BALDWIN ✓

Charles Larson SELECTMEN *Charles W. Holden* *C. W. Dodge*
WM. H. MEAD, CHAS. LARSON, C. E. HOLDEN

John C. Cannon LISTERS *John C. Caldwell*
EDW. JOHN, A. G. JOHNSON, PATRICK JOYCE
Overseer of the Poor..... C. W. DODGE ✓
First Constable..... W. H. STARTUP ✓
Second Constable..... HENRY SODERBERG ✓

D. N. McGarry AUDITORS *D. R. Mahaffy*
J. A. CADWELL, D. A. MCGARRY, CHAS. W. JOHNSON
Trustee of Public Money..... B. F. TAYLOR ✓

FENCE VIEWERS

W. H. HOLMES, A. P. HUMPHREY, F. C. PARTRIDGE

GRAND JURORS

C. E. HOLDEN, E. P. BUTLER

POUND KEEPERS

ERIC LUNGQUIST, JOHN P. CONNOR
Agent to Prosecute and Defend Suits.... F. C. PARTRIDGE ✓
Road Commissioner..... G. Z. THOMPSON ✓

SCHOOL DIRECTORS

C. F. MEAD, C. W. DODGE, *W. H. Mead*
~~GEO. LADABOUCHE~~

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS.

Drawn during the year ending Feb. 15, 1908

256	Proctor Trust Co., temporary loan.....	\$ 600 00
257	Walter A. Clark, town officers' bonds.....	35 00
258	Vt. Marble Co., erecting booth at town hall.....	1 60
259	Benj. Williams, Jr., reporting statistics to State Board of Health.....	9 30
260	Carruthers Printing Co., printing town reports.....	16 25
261	Proctor Trust Co., temporary loan.....	300 00
262	James Cline (West Rutland) heifer killed by dogs.....	20 00
263	Tuttle Co.....	3 70
264	Benj. Williams, Jr., reporting educational statistics.....	18 30
265	L. H. Baldwin, making up grand list and bills.....	20 00
266	Edward H. Deavitt, State highway tax.....	713 02
267	Edward H. Deavitt, State school tax.....	1140 83
268	Henry F. Field, County tax.....	47 53
269	Proctor Trust Co., temporary loan.....	2000 00
270	Proctor Trust Co., draft sent E. H. Deavitt, balance of interest U. S. Deposit Fund.....	69 31
271	Proctor Trust Co., temporary loan.....	550 00
272	Proctor Trust Co., interest on Selectmen's orders.....	12 65
273	W. O. LeClair, painting street signs.....	5 25
275	Proctor Trust Co., draft to E. H. Deavitt, State Treas. to repay U. S. Deposit and interest to date.....	4188 94
276	G. H. Boyce, insurance on bridges.....	17 60
277	Tuttle Co., printing.....	1 75
278	Benj. Williams, Jr., reporting vital statistics.....	11 50
279	Mrs. J. E. Casey, for hand-cuff and billy.....	4 50
280	W. E. Higbee, Treas. Proctor Library, 3 per cent. of grand list.....	444 50
281	Dr. H. H. Swift, reporting 53 births, 14 deaths to Jan. 1st, 1907.....	10 05
282	C. W. Dodge, two sheep killed by dog.....	10 00
284	E. Myatt, snowing double road bridge.....	3 00
285	Proctor Trust Co., Interest on Selectmen's orders.....	75 40
286	Dr. T. H. Hack, reporting 70 births, 21 deaths.....	22 75
287	Dr. J. L. Welch, reporting 12 births, 7 deaths.....	4 75
288	Dr. H. H. Swift, reporting 7 births, 3 deaths.....	2 50
289	Dr. J. M. Hamilton, reporting 1 birth.....	25
290	Dr. M. R. Crain, reporting 1 birth.....	25
291	Dr. L. A. Heidel, reporting 1 death.....	25
292	Dr. Hagan, reporting 1 birth.....	25
293	Treas. Village of Proctor, rent of Village Hall.....	25 00
294	Treas. Village of Proctor, transfer State School Tax to Village School.....	1567 03
295	C. W. Dodge, salary as Overseer of the Poor.....	50 00
		<hr/> \$11703 01

SUMMARY.

Repayment of temporary loans.....	\$3150 00
Repayment of U. S. Surplus Fund.....	4158 90
State Highway tax, paid State Treasurer.....	713 02
State School tax, " " " ".....	1140 83
Village of Proctor, State School tax.....	1567 03
Current Expenses	
County tax.....	47 53
Proctor Library Ass'n., 3 per cent. Grand List	444 50
Interest on loans.....	187 40
Other current expenses.....	293 80

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The Grand List for the year 1907 was \$14,816.88

Act. No. 54 of the Laws of 1906 required towns to account direct to the State Treasurer for their U. S. surplus fund. The act authorized the return of such funds to the State Treasurer or permitted towns to continue to borrow them by paying 5 per cent. interest on the same. As we were able to borrow the money from the Proctor Trust Company at 4 1-2 per cent. we made a loan for that purpose at that rate and repaid our U. S. surplus fund to the state, thus saving a little over \$20 per year interest.

WM. H. MEAD,	}	Selectmen for town of Proctor
CHAS. LARSON,		
C. E. HOLDEN,		

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received from the Treasurer.....	\$1486 65
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Mar. 10, 1907.	James Minolfe, unloading stone.....	\$ 17 50
June 1,	Leon Pelkey, team work.....	44 00
June 15,	John P. Connor, team work.....	21 00
June 15,	C. A. Creed, team work.....	14 00
June 15,	Wm. Fox, team work.....	14 00
June 15,	Fred Delphi, team work.....	12 25
June 15,	N. P. Ladabouche, team work.....	14 00
June 15,	John McDeavitt, team work.....	4 00
June 15,	Leon Pelkey, team work.....	42 00
June 25,	C. A. Creed, team work.....	8 75
June 27,	John B. Turner, team work.....	19 25
July 2,	Leon Pelkey, team work.....	42 00
July 3,	C. A. Creed, team work.....	3 50
July 6,	Neil Bowman, labor.....	7 50
July 12,	Andrew Blom, picking stone.....	27 50
Aug. 6,	N. B. Ladabouche, team work.....	8 75
Sept. 7,	Andrew Blom, picking stone.....	39 50
Oct. 25,	Tom King, labor... ..	10 00
Dec. 13,	C. Moran, labor.....	2 00
Dec. 19,	Vermont Marble Co., labor and teams	1180 80

\$1532 30

Deficit	\$ 45 65
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The town, during the past year has expended about \$1350.00 in the permanent improvement of highways, graveling to road from the South Double Road crossing to the Rutland Town line and completing the foundation and improving grades on the section of this road not completed in 1906.

G. Z. THOMPSON,
Road Commissioner.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

At present there are five at the Town House. The amount paid for each person outside the expenses of the Town House is as follows:

Will Freedom.....	\$ 3 59	
Joe Lique.....	16 16	
The Allen children.....	70 04	
Darby Tighe.....	18 23	
Mrs. James Lottenville.....	98 46	
Mrs. John Nyberg.....	217 65	
Mrs. John Lassor.....	16 93	
Arthur W. Burns.....	20 00	
Paul Berger.....	65	
Mrs. Ida Zandin.....	23 25	
Peter Bedor (refunded by Town of Rockingham) ...	17 33	\$502 29
Vermont Marble Company, house rent....		90 00
Dr. Thomas Hack, professional services.....		100 00
Groceries, provisions, etc., for Town House.....		560 42
		<u>\$1252 71</u>

ORDERS DRAWN BY OVERSEER OF POOR.

No.		
277	H. E. Seward & Sons, merchandise to A. W. Burns....	\$ 20 00
278	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Nyberg and Mrs. Lottenville..	25 00
279	Village of Proctor, water rent Mrs. Nyberg and Mrs. Lottenville.....	10 50
280	John Connor, wood to Mrs. Lottenville.....	2 00
281	C. W. Dodge, 2 cords stove wood to Town House.....	3 00
282	Ladabouche & Savage, meat.....	40 00
283	V. M. Co.'s Store, merchandise to Town Poor.....	142 19
284	J. P. Connor, wood to Mrs. Nyberg.....	1 00
285	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Nyberg.....	19 50
286	E. F. Savage & Co., meat	25 00
287	Edw. Myatt, milk to Town House.....	12 00
288	Andrew Allard, plowing Town House garden.....	1 50
289	Vermont Marble Co.'s Store, merchandise.....	110 66

290	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Lottenville.....	4 25
291	E. F. Savage & Co., meat to Town House and Mrs. Nyberg	23 00
292	Edw. Myatt, milk furnished Town House.....	7 00
293	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Nyberg.....	13 50
294	C. W. Dodge, 3 cords stove wood to Town House	4 50
295	J. P. Connor, wood to Mrs. Nyberg.....	1 00
296	Vermont Marble Co.'s Store, merchandise.....	101 50
297	Dr. Thomas Hack, professional services	50 00
298	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Nyberg	13 50
299	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Lottenville.....	14 50
300	E. F. Savage & Co., meat to Town House.....	25 00
301	J. T. Glasson, mileage book for Peter Bedor.....	3 33
302	S. E. Lawton, M. D., to Brattleboro Retreat Dr., Burial outfit, permit and interment of Mrs. Ida Zandin....	23 25
303	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Nyberg.....	6 75
304	S. R. Adams, milk furnished Mrs. Nyberg.....	10 00
305	B. M. McGary team for Peter Bedor to Town House....	1 00
306	B. M. McGary, plowing Town House garden in 1905....	1 00
307	J. P. Connor, wood to Mrs. Nyberg.....	1 75
308	Vermont Marble Co.'s Store, merchandise.....	154 05
309	Edw. Myatt, milk to Town House.....	9 00
310	Mrs. Germond, dressmaking for Allen girls.....	2 00
311	E. F. Savage & Co., meat.....	20 00
312	Vermont Marble Co.'s Store, merchandise.....	79 98
313	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Nyberg.....	13 50
314	Chas. Sterns & Co., two dresses for Allen girls.....	4 75
315	V. M. Co., rent for Mrs. Lottenville.....	2 97
316	Dr. Thomas Hack, professional services.....	50 00
317	Edw. Myatt, milk to Town House.	8 00
318	Chas. Ladabouche, milk to Mrs. Nyberg in 1906.....	2 00
319	V. M. Co., rent for Town House.....	90 00
320	J. P. Connor, wood to Town House.....	1 00
321	Vermont Marble Co.'s Store, merchandise.....	67 12
322	E. F. Savage & Co., meat.....	15 00
323	Town of Ludlow for merchandise to Joe Lique.....	16 16
		<hr/> \$1252 71

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. DODGE, Overseer.

Report of Agent to Prosecute and Defend Suits.

The Town has not been interested in any litigation during the year. I have, when requested, advised professionally with the different town officers.

FRANK C. PARTRIDGE, Agent.

Proctor, Vt., February 21, 1908.

BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS' REPORT.

The town paid \$235.00 for the transportation of children to the Village schools, bought a set of sleighs and had box made and other repairs on same, bought four new robes. The following is a list of orders drawn by the board to date :

80	C. Moran, transportation.....	\$ 15 00
81	C. Moran, transportation	10 00
82	C. Moran, transportation.....	35 00
83	Village of Proctor, tuition.....	49 00
84	F. Myatt, transportation....	25 00
85	Town of Pittsford, tuition.....	50 64
86	G. H. Boyce, insurance.....	10 00
87	E. Myatt, transportation.....	25 00
88	E. Myatt, transportation.....	30 00
89	Chas. McMurray, Sleighs.....	10 00
90	E. Myatt, repairs.....	75
91	E. Myatt, transportation.....	25 00
92	B. McGarry, robes.....	33 00
93	E. Myatt, transportation.....	40 00
94	W. P. Abbott, printing.....	95
95	Gus. Jungquist, box for sleighs.....	11 50
96	Benj. Schon, work on sleighs	9 75
97	E. Myatt, transportation.....	30 00

Total amount of orders drawn to date.....\$ 410 59

The Board recommend a tax of 35 cents for school expenses for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. MEAD, } School
C. W. DODGE, } Directors.

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC MONEY.

The \$34.66 which I reported last year as having received from the Town as interest on the U. S Surplus Fund for the two months ending February 15th, 1907, I paid to the State Treasurer June 8th, 1907.

The interest from February 15th to June 14th, 1907, amounted to \$69.31. This amount I received from the Town and paid over to the State Treasurer June 22nd, 1907.

August 3rd the Selectmen, having decided to repay the U. S. Surplus Fund to the State under authority of No. 54 of Acts of 1906, on that day paid to the State Treasurer the whole principal of said sum amounting to \$4158.90, and \$30.04 interest thereon from June 14th to that date.

There are no longer any public moneys in my hands.

B. F. TAYLOR, Trustee.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

Proctor Public Library

From February 1, 1907, to February 1, 1908.

Number of days library has been open.....	154
Circulation for 1906.....	10,191
Circulation for 1907.....	11,259
Gain in circulation for 1907.....	1,068
Circulation of foreign books.....	698
Average daily delivery.....	73
Number of cards issued.....	788
Per cent. of Fiction drawn in 1906.....	.68
Per cent. of Fiction drawn in 1907.....	.67
Number of books added by gift.....	10
Total number of books added.....	414
Number of periodicals subscribed for and on file Feb. 1, 1908,	20
Number of periodicals received by gift.....	5

Respectfully submitted,

MARY KENDRICK NORTON.

PROCTOR LIBRARY.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand March 1, 1907.....	\$223 12
Received from Town of Proctor.....	444 50
Received from R. Proctor.....	189 28
Received from other sources.....	281 45
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	\$1138 35

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid for new books.....	\$390 78
Paid for magazines.....	32 75
Paid for salaries.....	307 34
Binding and miscellaneous.....	72 56
Cash on hand March 1, 1908.....	334 92
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	\$1138 35

W. E. HIGBEE, Treasurer.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GENERAL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Temporary loan from Proctor Trust Co.....	\$3150 00
Taxes paid treasurer direct.....	4149 89
E. P. Butler, J. P., sundry fines.....	98 11
Town of Bartonville, care of Peter Bedor	17 33
W. H. Startup, collector, delinquent taxes 1906.....	56
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1907.....	11 25
Balance of dog fund.....	167 90
Deficit to new account.....	165 54
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	\$7760.58

DISBURSEMENTS

Deficit from previous year.....	\$ 515 54
Selectmen's orders.....	5992 33
Overseer's orders.....	1252 71
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	\$7760 58

TOWN HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Taxes paid treasurer direct.....	\$ 512 94
Our share State highway tax, received from State Treasurer..	26 29
Permanent highway money received from State Treasurer...	270 00
W. H. Startup, collector, delinquent taxes 1907.....	90
From Village of Proctor.....	700 00
Deficit to new account.....	45 05
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	\$1555 78

DISBURSEMENTS

Road Commissioner's orders.....	\$1532 30
Deficit from previous year.....	23 48
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	\$1555 78

TOWN SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1907.....	\$ 100 35
Town of Rutland for rent of school lot, 1905, 1906, 1907.....	29 34
Taxes paid treasurer direct.....	455 96
W. H. Startup, collector, delinquent taxes 1907.....	80
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	\$ 586 45

DISBURSEMENTS

School Directors' orders.....	\$ 380 59
Balance to new account.....	205 86
	<u>\$ 586 45</u>

STATE SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Our share State school tax received from State Treasurer....	\$1197 89
Our share income from Permanent School Fund received from State Treasurer.....	369 14
	<u>\$1567 03</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Selectmen's order to Village of Proctor.....	\$1567 03
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-DOG FUND ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Dog Licenses.....	\$ 197 90
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DISBURSEMENTS

Selectmen's orders.....	\$ 30 00
Balance to General Account.....	167 90
	<u>\$ 197 90</u>

STATEMENT OF TAXES

Town tax (30 per cent. including State school 8 per cent. and State highway 5 per cent.).....	\$4433 58
Paid treasurer direct.....	\$4149 89
Four Per cent. discount to taxpayers.....	174 70
Treasurer's fees.....	41 94
Received from collector.....	11 25
Due from collector.....	55 80
	<u>\$4433 58</u>
Town highway tax (45 per cent. including Special tax of 25 per cent.).....	\$ 548 77
Paid treasurer direct.....	\$ 512 94
Four per cent. discount to taxpayers.....	21 64
Treasurer's fees.....	5 19
Received from collector.....	90
Due from collector.....	8 10
	<u>\$ 548 77</u>
Town school tax (40 per cent.).....	\$ 487 78
Paid treasurer direct.....	\$ 455 96
Four per cent. discount to taxpayers.....	19 23
Treasurer's fees.....	4 59
Received from collector.....	80
Due from collector.....	7 20
	<u>\$ 487.78</u>

Respectfully submitted,
L. H. BALDWIN, Treasurer

JUSTICE'S REPORT.

STATEMENT OF CRIMINAL CAUSES TRIED BEFORE E. P. BUTLER, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING, FEBRUARY 15, 1908.

1907	NAME	AGE	NATIONALITY.	OFFENCE	FINE	COSTS	DISPOSITION	REMARKS
Mar. 19	Monyskisk	30	Polander	Assault	\$10.00	\$6.57	Paid Treasurer	
Apr. 2	Ratti	18	Italian	Breach of Peace	5.00	4.51	" "	
" 2	LaMountain	18	French	" "	5.00	4.51	" "	
May 6	Skersawoski	32	Russian	" "	1.00	6.51	" "	
" 6	Skalengowski	32	"	" "	1.00	6.51	" "	
" 6	Sodolowski	20	"	" "	1.00	6.51	" "	
" 6	Jack Smith	26	"	" "	1.00	6.51	" "	
" 6	Bavaria	45	Hungarian	Disc'g Fire Arms Sun	10.00	4.51	" " \$5.00	Paid Complainant \$5.00
" 6	Zdut	40	"	" "	10.00	4.51	" " 5.00	"
" 10	Warren	30	American	Breach of Peace	Discharged	7.85	Town paid costs	States Attorney Prosecuted
July 12	Marquita	19	Hungarian	Assault	2.00	6.11	Paid Treasurer	
" 12	Oinc	17	"	Breach of Peace	2.00	6.11	" "	
" 12	Hinki	18	"	" "	2.00	6.11	" "	
" 13	Milca	45	Roumanian	" "	Suspended	5.63	Placed under Bonds	Resp. paid Costs.
" 13	Palisanian	35	"	" "	"	5.63	" "	" " "
" 20	Dias	18	Italian	Assault	"	4.51	" "	" " "
" 22	Valli	28	"	" "	5.00	6.31	Paid Treasurer	
Sept. 9	LaMountain	16	French	Malicious Trespass	Discharged	4.51	" "	Town paid Costs.
Oct. 14	Terrinzini	15	Italian	Dam'g Pub. Build.	2.00	5.11	Paid Treasurer	
" 14	Comeski	14	Russian	" "	2.00	5.11	" "	
" 14	Turkelson	15	American	" "	2.00	5.11	" "	
" 14	Nelson	16	Swede	" "	2.00	5.11	" "	
" 14	Richards	13	American	" "	2.00	5.11	" "	
" 14	Taverrelli	15	Italian	" "	2.00	5.11	" "	
" 14	Rice	15	American	" "	2.00	5.11	" "	
" 14	Lundburg	17	Swede	" "	Suspended	5.11	" "	
" 21	Garbrez	40	Polander	Breach of Peace	5.00	4.51	Paid Treasurer	
" 21	Gallipo	21	French	" "	2.00	4.51	" "	
" 21	Sterlicz	27	Polander	" "	5.00	5.63	" "	
" 21	Oskowski	32	"	Assault	10.00	5.63	" "	
" 21	Joe Garbocz	23	"	Breach of Peace	Discharged	4.51	" "	Town paid Costs
Dec. 2	Zamorta	29	"	" "	3.00	6.75	Paid Treasurer	
" 2	Zamorta	18	"	" "	3.00	6.75	" "	
" 2	Sherba	27	"	" "	10.00	6.75	" "	
" 2	Lugin	32	"	" "	3.00	6.75	" "	
" 6	Ginbound	15	French	Petit Larceny	10.00	8.13	" "	Arranged to pay Fine
Jan. 15 '08	Daval	27	Polander	Breach of Peace	5.00	6.51	Paid Treasurer	
" 15	Laparta	23	"	" "	5.00	6.51	" "	
" 15	Zubrik	41	"	" "	5.00	6.51	" "	
" 15	Pecuk	19	Russian	" "	5.00	6.51	" "	
" 15	Akuliz	18	"	" "	5.00	6.51	" "	
" 15	Rosk	30	"	" "	Discharged	5.51	" "	
Dec. 6, '07	Ginbord	14	French	Petit Larceny	20.00	13.25	State will pay Costs	Town paid Costs
" 6	Jussilla	13	Polander	" "	20.00	10.11	" " "	Com. Vt. Indus. School
				TOTAL	\$185.00	265.04		

I, E. P. Butler, Justice of the Peace, do hereby certify that the above statement is a true record of all criminal causes tried by me in which the Town of Proctor is interested for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1908.

Proctor, Vt., Feb. 15, 1908.

E. P. BUTLER, Justice of the Peace

AUDITORS' REPORT.

To The Tax-Payers of the Town of Proctor:

We have examined the accounts and vouchers of the Selectmen, Overseer of the Poor, Road Commissioner and School Directors; also the various accounts of the Town Treasurer, and find the same correct. The financial condition of the town is as follows:

LIABILITIES

Outstanding order for repayment of U. S. Surplus Fund.....	\$4188 94
Other outstanding orders, Nos. 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292....	8 25
Outstanding order from Town School Fund No. 97.....	30 00
Deficit to Town Highway account.....	45 65
Deficit to new general account.....	165 54
	\$4438 38

RESOURCES

Due from tax collector.....	\$ 71 10
Cash in hands of Treasurer, Town School account....	205 86
	\$ 276 96
Net Liabilities.....	\$4161 42

The amount to be provided by taxation or otherwise for the coming year is estimated as follows.

Interest.....	\$ 188 50
Deficit of new general account.....	165 54
Current expenses (estimated).....	600 00
Expenses of keeping the poor (estimated).....	1200 00
Total.....	\$2154 04

We recommend a tax of 17 per cent. for town purposes, together with 8 per cent. State School tax and 5 per cent. State Highway tax, as required by law.

J. A. CADWELL, CHAS. W. JOHNSON, D. A. MCGARRY,	}	Auditors.
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NOTICE.

The legal voters in town meeting of the town of Proctor are hereby warned to meet at the Village Hall, in the village of Proctor, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1908, at 11 o'clock A. M., to act upon the following matters, to wit:—

1. To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
2. To vote on the following: Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?
3. To choose the necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
4. To see if the town will vote to raise a school tax of more than twenty cents on the dollar, and if so, how much.
5. To see if the town will vote to raise more than twenty cents on the dollar highway tax, as required by law.
6. To see if the town will vote to raise money by taxation or otherwise to pay current expenses, meet the State Highway and State School taxes, and the indebtedness of the town, and to see what time the same and other taxes that may be voted shall be payable.
7. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of sections 480 to 486 inclusive, of the Revised Laws and amendments thereto for the collection of taxes.
8. To see if the town will vote any compensation to town officers.
9. To choose grand and petit jurors.
10. To see if the town, under the provisions of Section 887 of the Vermont Statutes, as amended by Act No. 34 of the Laws of 1898, will vote to contract with the Proctor Library Association to furnish books to the inhabitants of the town free and to appropriate money therefor.
11. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money for the temporary uses of the town.
12. To see if the town will vote to defray the expenses of surety bonds for the town officers where bonds are required by law.
13. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to arrange for a proper observance of Memorial Day and appropriate money therefor.
14. To see if the town will vote to raise money in excess of the amount required by law to be expended in improving its highways in accordance with Section 8 of Act No. 111 of the laws of 1906.
15. To transact any other business which may come before said meeting.

W. H. MEAD,	}	Selectmen of Proctor
CHAS. LARSON,		
CHAS. E. HOLDEN,		

Proctor, Vt., February 17, 1908.